

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as indicated hereafter (where underlining “_” denotes additions and strikethrough “-” denotes deletions).

Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of manipulating email messages with an email network appliance comprising:

receiving an email message from an email server, wherein the email server is particularly configured to provide an email service to a plurality of email network appliances that can only receive text of an email message, with an email network appliance at a client that can only provide the text of a message, the email message received at the client having had attachments that cannot be viewed on the email network appliance automatically deleted by the email network appliance email service provided by the particularly configured email server, such that the email message is text only;

classifying the text only email message;

inserting the text only email message into a classification container; and presenting the classification container in a classification display section.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising prompting a user to save a sent email message.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus comprising a scrollable line display capable of presenting at least six lines but no more than fifteen lines.

4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus connected to a public switched network via an RJ-11 interface.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus comprising a keyboard.

6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the email network appliance comprises an email Internet appliance.

7. (Original) The method of claim 3, further comprising prompting a user to save a sent email message.

8. (Original) The method of claim 6, further comprising prompting a user to save a sent email message.

9. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the display classification section comprises at least two sections, each section containing one classification container.

10-19. (Cancelled).

20. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising reading a text only email message in a classification container, wherein all reading is performed off-line.

21. (Currently Amended) A system of manipulating email messages:

[[a]] an email server particularly configured for providing an email service to each of a plurality of email devices that can only provide the text of email messages, the email service configured for receiving a plurality of email messages for a user, for automatically deleting all attachments that cannot be viewed on an each of the plurality of email devices that can only provide the text of the email messages; and

a transmitter for transmitting the email messages to a user for viewing on the email device.

22. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 21, further comprising: a client configured for receiving email messages from a server, for classifying each of the plurality of email messages, for inserting the

email message into a classification container; and for presenting the classification container in a classification display section.

23. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 22, wherein the client is housed in an email network appliance.

24. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 23, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus connected to a public switched network via an RJ-11 interface.

25. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 23, wherein the email network appliance comprises an apparatus comprising a keyboard.

26. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 23, wherein the email network appliance comprises an email Internet appliance.

27. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 22, wherein the client is further configured for prompting a user to save a sent email message.

28. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 22, wherein the display classification section comprises at least two sections, each section containing one classification container.

29. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 22, wherein the client is further configured for presenting an email message in a classification container, wherein all presentation is performed off-line.

30. (Currently Amended) A method of manipulating email messages with an email network appliance comprising:

receiving an email message from an email server, wherein the email server is particularly configured to provide an email service to a plurality of email network appliances that can only receive text of an email message, with an email network appliance at a client that can only provide the text of a message, the email message received at the client having had attachments that cannot be viewed on the email network appliance automatically deleted by the email network appliance email service provided by the particularly configured email server, such that the email message is text only;

classifying the text only email message;

inserting the text only email message into a classification container;

presenting the classification container in a classification display section comprising at least two sections, each section containing one classification container;

presenting a text only email message in a classification container, wherein
all presenting of the text only email message is performed off-line
and
prompting a user to save a sent email message;
wherein the email network appliance comprises a handheld email Internet
appliance connected to a public switched network via an RJ-11 interface, the
appliance further comprising a keyboard and a scrollable line display capable of
presenting at least six lines but no more than fifteen lines.